

1. Contact/General Information

A. Full legal name and any former names.

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B. State the full name (use initials for minor children), age, and relationship of each person residing in your household. For each adult living in the household (other than yourself), also state the person's occupation and employer.

Terri Medlock, spouse
APRN. Advance Practice Registered Nurse/Nurse Practitioner
Recent Graduate - not employed yet.

C. Business address, email, and telephone number.

Washington Circuit Court
#99 Public Square, Ste 200
Salem, Indiana 47167
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D. Attorney number.

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E. Month and year you were admitted to the Indiana Bar.

January 1991

a. Indicate current law license status, i.e. active/inactive/retired.

Active.

b. If you are or have been a member of the Bar of any other state, identify the jurisdiction and provide date(s) of admission and current license status.

Not applicable.

F. Date and place of birth.

November 11, 1957, Salem, Indiana.

G. County of current residence and date you first became a resident.

Washington County, Indiana. November 11, 1957.

2. Secondary Education/Military Experience

- A. List all undergraduate colleges and universities you attended. Include the school name; dates enrolled; degree or certificate earned; and any academic honors, awards, or scholarships you received and when.

Indiana University Southeast, Spring 1976
Indiana University, Fall 1976 - Spring 1977
Purdue University, Fall 1977 – August 8, 1980 BSF

- B. Include with your original application a certified transcript from each school named in Subsection 2A, and attach copies of each transcript to each application copy. (If your social security number is on your transcripts, redact it *before* copying.)

See attached transcripts.

- C. If applicable, list any military service. Include the name of the military branch; dates of service; last rank achieved; and any honors, awards, or commendations received and when. Attach a copy of your Certificate of Release or Discharge from active duty (“DD 214” paperwork).

Not applicable.

3. Post-Secondary Education

- A. List all law schools, graduate schools, and post-J.D. programs attended. Include the school name; dates enrolled; degree or certificate earned; class rank; and any academic honors, awards, or scholarships you received and when.

Indiana University, Fall 1981 - Spring 1983, May 4, 1985 M.P.A.
University of Louisville, Fall 1986 – December 19, 1990 J.D.

- B. Include with your original application a certified transcript from each school named in Subsection 3A, and attach copies of each transcript to each application copy. (If your social security number is on your transcripts, redact it *before* copying.)

See attached.

4. Employment

- A. Provide your employment history since graduation from college. Include name of employer, titles or positions, locations, and dates of employment.

Spring 1983 - February 1984 Simpson Shell, Salem, Indiana Attendant

February 1984 - July 1991 Smith Cabinet/Child Craft, Salem, In., Director of Employee Safety and Environmental Issue

July 1991 - December 1991 Medlock and Francis, Law Office, Salem, Indiana, Partner

January 1992 - June 2000 - Allen, Allen & Allen, Salem, Indiana Associate

2000-2010 Public Defender, Washington County (Part-Time)

1994-2010 Medlock Law Office, Paoli, In. and Salem, Indiana, Owner, Private Practice Attorney

2011-Present Washington Circuit Court Judge

- B. If applicable, describe the nature and extent of your practice of law (present and former), and provide the names of your partners, associates, office mates, and employers.

I believe that one of the factors in my success as a lawyer and as a judge is the wide variety of life and work experience prior to my involvement with the law. While young I mowed neighbors yard, packed and carried groceries, worked on farms, in college I did work study involving a wide variety of research related tasks. I have experience working in the food service food service field, as a gas station attendant/tow truck driver and as a forest technician/wild land firefighter for the U.S. Forest Service in California. Having such varied work experiences allows one to understand the setting and perspective of people in their day to day lives and their work life. I worked fulltime while attending law school. In small communities lawyers are generally required to provide a wide variety of legal services to survive their first years of practice until they can develop a name for themselves in a particular area of law that will sustain their practice.

I have tried cases in small claims, personal injury, domestic relations, real estate, contracts,

criminal including murder, CHINS, termination of parental rights, estates, and have published cases in many of these areas including a new area of Indiana Search and Seizure law (See State of Indiana vs. Richard Osborne) which is attached in which there was oral arguments before the Court of Appeals at Mitchell Indiana High School.

In the approximately 20 years I practiced law. I handled such a variety of cases and people that I am uniquely qualified to address and resolve the wide variety of cases and issues that comes before the Supreme Court.

5. Trial/Judicial Experience

- A. Describe the extent of your jury trial experience, if any.

I have tried numerous civil and criminal jury trials both as a lawyer and as a judge. The shortest being one day and longest being an approximately five week murder trial.

B. Describe the extent of your bench trial experience, if any.

I have tried hundreds of cases before the bench, ranging from small claims, real estate disputes, children in need of services, termination of parental rights, domestic relations, contract disputes, juvenile delinquencies, and criminal cases when appropriate.

C. If applicable, describe the nature and extent of your judicial experience (including as a judge *pro tempore*). Include a description of your experience presiding over jury trials, if any.

I took office in January of 2011 and the first year I presided over several civil jury trials which went to a decision and a murder trial. There was an appeal on the murder case and no issues were overturned. As a judge presiding over jury trials, especially criminal trials where an individual's liberty interest are at stake, I made efforts to be sensitive to the feelings of the victims and their families and also be respectful of the accused and sensitive to their families that are there to support them. I have presided over molestation cases and the murder trial previously mentioned. In these types of cases there is a lot of pain and emotions involved. It is extremely important that all parties know, in both civil and criminal, that the rules and the law are being applied correctly, fairly and impartially. Since that first year I have continued to preside over civil and criminal jury trials. To the best of my knowledge and recollection no decisions have been overturned by the higher courts. I have had some bench trial decisions overturned.

6. Professional Experience

Include as writing samples, four selections (in total) from the written materials listed below in Subsections 6A – 6C.

A. If applicable, list up to five trial or appellate briefs and/or judicial opinions you have written. Refer to them by caption, case number, and filing date.

1. State of Indiana vs. Richard Osborne, 59A01-0309-CR-331, Brief filed 11/5/03.

2. Chris McGehee vs. Travis D. and Tamara Jo Elliott et. al., 88A05-0509-CV-69. Brief filed 3/3/06.

3. Ralph L Wilson v. Linda C. Wilson 88A01-9912-CV-410. Brief filed 3/22/00.

4. Mark Mckeighen vs. Daviess County Fair Board, et al., 14A04-0906-CV-20, Brief filed 9/25/09.

5. In Re the Matter of L.B., A Child Alleged to be a Delinquent, 88C01-1103-JD-50. Judicial Ruling entered 5/20/11.

B. If applicable, list up to five legislative drafts or court rules you have written or to which you contributed significantly. Refer to them by official citation, date, and subject matter.

Not applicable.

- C. If applicable, list up to five of your contributions to legal journals or other legal publications. Provide titles, official citations, and a brief description of the subject matter.

I have contributed two articles to Res Geste for the Fit to Practice column. Neither of those articles has been scholarly. May 2012 My "Ah-Hah" moment and July/August 2013 Prepare for Glory! See attached.

- D. Identify the five most significant legal matters entrusted to you, whether as a judge or lawyer, and describe why you believe them to be so.

1. When I was a public defender for Washington County I was assigned a case in which the accused was alleged to have given another man a joker smile with a knife. As a result of that assignment I had to interact with certain members of the accused family including his mother. Sometime after the case was resolved I received a phone call from the mother asking me to call her daughter because her husband had been killed in an explosion while on the job in an oil storage tank.

The daughter told me that because I had treated her brother and mother respectfully and professionally I had received the endorsement of her mother and that was why she wanted me to represent her and her children in the case concerning her deceased husband. There was a very substantial recovery made in a very complicated and technical case. I believe I was entrusted with this case because of the character, demeanor and professionalism with which I handled her sibling's case.

As a result I earned the family's trust and respect. A lawyer cannot replace the intangibles the deceased provided. They can however honor that individual with the appropriate compassion in representation of their family.

2. One of the very first cases I was entrusted with was a tragic wrongful death in which one of my previous co-workers died as a result of broken neck vertebrae when diving from an incorrectly installed diving board into a residential swimming pool that was not built to specifications. There was a substantial recovery for the widow and structured settlements for the children of the deceased. I believe that once again I was entrusted with this case as a result of my character, ability, professionalism, but most of all trust. When a survivor who depended upon the income of their deceased spouse entrusts a lawyer with their and their children's economic future, that is a great responsibility and I am honored to have been trusted enough to seek a remedy for the survivors that would honor the loss of their husband and father.

3. I was asked to file suit against the Washington County Commissioners as a result of a perceived breach of the "Sunshine Law" in which it was reported that the Washington County Commissioners had conducted an illegal meeting in which they took action in violation of statute. At the time I was a Washington County Public Defender and one of the Commissioners was a member of the Public Defender Board. I sought an opinion from the Public Access Counselor that that an illegal meeting had occurred after which I, along with co-counsel, filed suit and won. I believe I was entrusted with the case

because of my legal knowledge, ability, experience, and character. The Commissioner, who was a member of the Public Defender Board, tried to prevent me from having my Public Defender contract renewed. He ultimately was convicted of sexual misconduct with a minor and is currently serving time at the Indiana Department of Corrections.

4. In the Travis and Tamara Elliott vs. Chris McGehee case, I was asked to help a young couple who had purchased a parcel of land from Mr. McGehee and whom had obtained a right of first refusal on an adjoining parcel. That adjoining parcel was sold to another person without the Elliott's being offered the parcel. I had previously represented Mr. And Mrs. Elliott in a land dispute with another party. I believe they entrusted me because they knew from experience that I was thorough, articulate and effective. We won the case at trial. This case was complicated with multiple legal issues and went to the Court of Appeals three times. We did not win all issues at the appellate level but the Elliott's trusted me to represent them well and to address an injustice done. They were satisfied with my efforts.

5. As a court appointed attorney in Orange County Circuit Court. I was given a case that I ultimately discovered had a very unusual set of facts and police behavior. Upon losing a Motion to Suppress, I sought an interlocutory appeal which was granted by the Court and accepted by the Court of Appeals. The Court of Appeals wanted to hear oral argument which was conducted at the Mitchell High School in Lawrence County. The ruling by the Court of Appeals resulted in new law. I believe I was assigned the case by Judge Blanton because he was aware of the extensive nature of my criminal case work and knew that I was thorough in my representation of indigent clients. (See previously attached ruling).

7. Efforts to Improve the Legal System, Administration of Justice, or Society

- A. Describe your efforts, achievements, or contributions (including written work, speeches, or presentations) toward the improvement of the law, the legal system, or the administration of justice. Include a description of any management or leadership roles you undertook to achieve these goals, and describe any specific instances in which your collaborative efforts helped achieve these goals.

Throughout my career I have represented needy clients via pro bono work or providing services at a reduced fee. I have spoken to students and faculty at various local schools concerning the law. I have participated as a lawyer and a judge at the Eastern Elementary School Project LEAD in which we present an abbreviated juvenile delinquency case and explain how the juvenile justice system works. I have been the president of both the Washington County and Orange County Bar Associations. I have made numerous presentations at local civic organizations about the legal system and I have been a panelist at both a state bar association meeting and a Indiana Public Defender Council training session.

Judge Claypool and I are in the process of developing a Veterans Court for District 24.

- B. Describe your efforts, achievements, or contributions (including written work, speeches, or presentations) concerning civic, political, or social issues. Include a description of any management or leadership roles you undertook in this area, and describe any specific instances in which your collaborative efforts in this area led to a successful result.

See below

- C. Describe your efforts, achievements, or contributions (including written work, speeches, or presentations) to improve your local, state, or national community through charitable work or public service. Include a description of any management or leadership roles you undertook in this area, and describe any specific instances in which your collaborative efforts in this area led to a successful result.

I was an early member of the Washington County Community Foundation and served on the board for ten (10) years. The Foundation has grown to the 16+ million dollar level and has made extensive contributions to the community. On September 12 and 13, 2001, I help build Riley's Place which is a beautiful playground for the children of Washington County in memory of a toddler whom was killed in a tragic accident. Many community members assisted in the construction. It was a wonderful community experience that arose from a terrible tragedy. I have been a board member of LifeSprings Health Systems for eight (8) years and I am a member of the executive, finance and recruitment committee. Until recently Life Springs was primarily a mental health provider in our community. It has since expanded to be a full service health care provider in a portion of its coverage area and is one of the health care organizations addressing the heroine/intravenous needle epidemic in Austin, Scott County. I have been a past member of the Friends of the Salem Library in which we utilized the organization to support the function of the public library.

- D. Describe the nature and extent of any *pro bono* legal services you have contributed.

I have accepted numerous referrals for pro bono work from Hoosier Hills PACT primary in the area of domestic relations. I did not keep a tally of the pro bono assistance I provided.

- E. Indicate your experience teaching law. Provide the dates, names of institutions or programs, and a description of the subject matter taught.

Not Applicable.

8. Memberships and Other Activities

- A. List any memberships and offices you have held in professional organizations, including dates and descriptions of the purposes of the organizations and of your involvement.

LIFESPRING HEALTH SYSTEMS, 2007-Present
Board Member, Treasurer, Committee Executive, Finance, Recruitment

To provide guidance and oversight to the executives and the overall organization.

HOOSIERS HILLS PACT COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS ADVISORY
COMMITTEE Member, 2004-Present

To offer guidance and direction to the executive director and the organization.

INDIANA BAR ASSOCIATION, 1990-Present

Member

Committee - Health and Wellness, 2010-Present

To promote healthy lifestyles to the Indiana Bar.

INDIANA SUPREME COURT

Criminal Policy Committee, 2010-Present

To provide insight to the implications of new or proposed legislation.

INDIANA BAR FOUNDATION,

Fellow December 2003-Present

To support the goals and the legacy of the foundation

INDIANA JUDGES ASSOCIATION, 2010-Present

Member

To promote the wellbeing of the Judiciary

WASHINGTON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION, 1990-Present

Member, Past President

To promote and support the practice of law and the lawyers in Washington County

ORANGE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION 1996-2010

Past President

To promote and support the practice of law and the lawyers of Orange County

WASHINGTON COUNTY SAFETY COMMITTEE, 2014-Present

Chairman

To support and promote the wellbeing and safety of the students and faculty of the local school systems.

- B. List any memberships and offices you have held in civic, charitable, or service organizations, including dates and descriptions of the purposes of the organizations and of your involvement.

WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION,

Board Member, 1994-2003

To promote philanthropy and the projects beneficial to the citizens of Washington County

FRIENDS OF SALEM PUBLIC LIBRARY, 1990-Present

Vice President, 1994-1995

To promote the function of the local library

CITY OF SALEM

Member of the Tree Board 1988-1990

To support the beautification and preservation of the trees in the community

WASHINGTON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Representative, 1995-2000

To support the business and economic base in Washington County

WASHINGTON COUNTY YMCA

Youth Soccer Coach, 2001

Teach, guide, and provide a good example for young soccer players

SALEM COMMUNITY PARKS AND RECREATION

t-ball, baseball and youth football coach, 1994, 2001-2005

Teach, guide, and provide a good example for young athletes

- C. List any memberships you hold in social clubs or organizations. If any restrict its membership on the basis of race, sex, religion, or national origin, please describe your efforts within the organization to eliminate restrictions.

I am a member of the Washington County Tennis Association which is a quasi social/

athletic club that has no restrictions on membership. This is an informal organization created for the purpose of promoting tennis, physical fitness, and fellowship. We pay minimal dues for new tennis balls, snacks and for the purpose of a providing a scholarship for a student who has played tennis in high school and is going to pursue further education.

- D. Describe your hobbies and other leisure activities.

I have been a philatelist and numismatist since I was a child. When I was very young my grandparents gave me a silver dollar which I still have and to which I have added many more coins. I also developed my love of gardening as a result of my grandfather's influence on me when I was young. I was athletic throughout middle school and high school and the desire to complete athletically is something I am still inclined to do. I play tennis on the Washington County Tennis Association Summer League and I participate in obstacle course races with my son and other friends and family members, primarily the Spartan series, I run, ski and play touch football with the family. I consider myself an outdoor man as I fish some, but hunt wild game extensively during the various seasons. I also enjoy traveling, reading, movies, cooking and fantasy football.

9. Legal Proceedings

- A. List any lawsuits or legal proceedings in any jurisdiction, including but not limited to bankruptcies, dissolutions, and criminal matters to which you have been a party. Provide dates, case numbers, courts, names of other parties, and, if needed, a brief explanation. (If minor children are involved [i.e. an adoption], use initials only.)

5/25/11. Dora Ray and Lori Gilstrap vs. Hon. Larry W. Medlock, 4:11-cv-62-LY-DML, United States District Court, Southern Indiana District, New Albany Division.

10/21/10. Patricia Campbell vs. Larry Medlock, 88C01-1010-SC-281, Washington Circuit Court.

3/1/10. Larry Medlock vs. Carl and Christina Lush, 22D03-1003-CC-388, Floyd Superior Court III.

10/5/06. Larry Medlock, Lewis Maudlin vs. Washington County Commissioners, Byron Green, Commissioner, Mike Goering, Commissioner, et al., 88C01-0610-PL-278, Washington Circuit Court.

1991. Linda Medlock vs. Larry Medlock, 22C01-9006-DR-110, Floyd Circuit Court.

1983. Shelley Medlock vs. Larry Medlock, DR-8303-001B, Monroe County Court.

I believe I have been a party plaintiff to a number of small claims collections cases but I cannot remember them in order to identify them.

- B. If you ever have been arrested or cited for any violation of the law other than for routine traffic violations, provide dates, jurisdictions, and an explanation of the event and its resolution.

Not applicable.

- C. If you have been disciplined or cautioned, formally or informally, by the Indiana Supreme Court Disciplinary Commission, by the Indiana Commission on Judicial Qualifications, by the Indiana Supreme Court, or by similar entities in any other jurisdiction, identify each instance by date, case number (if applicable), and describe the circumstances and the nature of the outcome or resolution.

Not applicable.

- D. If you have any outstanding federal, state, or local tax obligations, please itemize and explain.

Not applicable.

10. References

- A. Provide the names of three attorneys who have been your professional adversaries in your practice or who have litigated substantial cases in your court and who would be

in positions to comment on your qualifications for appointment to the Indiana Supreme Court (contact information to be included in Part Two of this application).

1. Joseph O'Connor or William Beggs
2. Larry Church
3. Jeffery Hansford

B. Provide the names of three professional references other than those listed in Subsection 10A (contact information to be included in Part Two of this application).

1. The Honorable Frank Newkirk, Jr.
2. David Smith
3. Dustin Houchin

C. Provide the names of three personal references other than those listed in Subsection 10A or 10B (contact information to be included in Part Two of this application).

1. Drs. Jared and Jenny Kearschner
2. Jon and Kathy Kuss
3. Erin Houchin

11. State Police Release Form and Photograph

A. Complete a State Police release form printed on green paper (you may obtain the release form by contacting the Nominating Commission Office at 317-232-4706). Include the release form with the original application only and not with the copies.

See attached.

B. Attach a recent photograph of you to the front of the original application and to each copy of your application. (This allows the Commission members to put a face with a name if you are interviewed in person.)

See Attached.

DATE_____

SIGNATURE_____

PRINTED NAME_____

